

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of: ) Group Art Unit: 2444  
Karam et al. )  
Examiner: BENGZON, GREG C  
Serial No.: 10/070,338 ) Confirmation No.: 2450  
Filed: 12-12-2002 )  
Atty. File No.: 4366DMG-11-PUS ) REQUEST FOR CONSIDERATION OF  
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ) REFERENCE IN INFORMATION  
CHARACTERIZING THE QUALITY ) DISCLOSURE STATEMENT  
OF A NETWORK PATH ) SUBMITTED DECEMBER 13, 2002  
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Dear Sir:

On December 13, 2002, Applicant's representative submitted an Information Disclosure Statement in the above-identified patent application. The Information Disclosure Statement is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

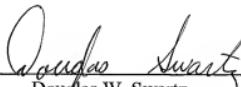
On June 27, 2006, the Examiner issued an Official Action for the above-identified case. The Official Action was accompanied by a List Of References Cited By Applicant And Considered By Examiner. This list included the aforementioned Information Disclosure Statement of December 13, 2002, but WO 02/033896 was neither initialed by the Examiner nor struck through. The Official Action, including the pertinent page from the List Of References Cited By Applicant And Considered By Examiner, is attached hereto as Exhibit B.

Applicants hereby respectfully request that WO 02/033896 listed in Information Disclosure Statement of December 13, 2002 be considered by the Examiner.

Although no fees are believed due in connection with this communication, please charge any fees deemed necessary to Deposit Account No. 19-1970. If additional information is required please contact the undersigned.

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